GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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NEW NATIONAL HIGHWAY IN AP AND UTTRANCHAL
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from Andhra Pradesh and Uttranchal for construction of new National Highways;

(b) If so, the details with location thereof; and

(c) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (RETD KHANDURI)

(a) & (b) 13 proposals aggregating to a length of about 2800 km in Andhra Pradesh and 3 proposals aggregating to a length of about 700 km in Uttaranchal have been received for conversion of State roads into National Highways.

(c) The proposal would be considered alongwith similar proposals received from other State Governments after the finalisation of the 10th Five Year Plan and availability of funds, keeping in view the revised criteria for declaration of new National Highways, traffic needs and inter-se priority.